- (o) Production. "Production" means growing, mining, harvesting, fishing, raising, trapping, hunting, manufacturing, processing, assembling, or disassembling a good:
- (p) Recovered goods. "Recovered goods" means materials in the form of individual parts that are the result of:
- (1) The complete disassembly of used goods into individual parts; and
- (2) The cleaning, inspecting, testing, or other processing of those parts as necessary for improvement to sound working condition by one or more of the following processes: welding, flame spraying, surface machining, knurling, plating, sleeving, and rewinding in order for such parts to be assembled with other parts, including other recovered parts in the production of a remanufactured good of Annex 4.18, US-CFTA;
- (q) Remanufactured goods. "Remanufactured goods" means industrial goods assembled in the territory of a Party, listed in Annex 4.18, US-CFTA, that:
- (1) Are entirely or partially comprised of recovered goods;
- (2) Have the same life expectancy and meet the same performance standards as new goods; and
- (3) Enjoy the same factory warranty as such new goods; and
- (r) Self-produced material. "Self-produced material" means a material that is produced by the producer of a good and used in the production of that good; and
- (s) *Value*. "Value" means the value of a good or material for purposes of calculating customs duties or for purposes of applying this subpart.

## §10.451 Originating goods.

A good imported into the customs territory of the United States will be considered an originating good under the US-CFTA only if:

- (a) The good is wholly obtained or produced entirely in the territory of Chile or of the United States, or both;
- (b) The good is produced entirely in the territory of Chile or of the United States, or both, satisfies all other applicable requirements of this subpart, and
- (1) Each of the non-originating materials used in the production of the good

- undergoes an applicable change in tariff classification specified in General Note 26(n), HTSUS, and
- (2) The good otherwise satisfies any applicable regional value content or other requirements specified in General Note 26(n), HTSUS; or
- (c) The good is produced entirely in the territory of Chile or the United States, or both, exclusively from originating materials.

### § 10.452 Exclusions.

A good will not be considered to be an originating good and a material will not be considered to be an originating material by virtue of having undergone:

- (a) Simple combining or packaging operations: or
- (b) Mere dilution with water or with another substance that does not materially alter the characteristics of the good or material.

# § 10.453 Treatment of textile and apparel sets.

Notwithstanding the specific rules specified in General Note 26(n), HTSUS, textile and apparel goods classifiable as goods put up in sets for retail sale as provided for in General Rule of Interpretation 3, HTSUS, will not be regarded as originating goods unless each of the goods in the set is an originating good or the non-originating goods in the set do not exceed 10 percent of the adjusted value of the set.

#### § 10.454 Regional value content.

Where General Note 26, subdivision (n), HTSUS, sets forth a rule that specifies a regional value content test for a good, the regional value content of such good may be calculated, at the choice of the person claiming the tariff treatment authorized by this note for such good, on the basis of the build-down method or the build-up method described in this section, unless otherwise specified in the note.

(a) Build-down method. For the build-down method, the regional value content must be calculated on the basis of the formula RVC = ((AV-VNM)/AV) × 100, where RVC is the regional value content, expressed as a percentage; AV is the adjusted value; and VNM is the value of non-originating materials used

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by the producer in the production of the good; or

(b) Build-up method. For the build-up method, the regional value content must be calculated on the basis of the formula RVC =  $(VOM/AV) \times 100$ , where RVC is the regional value content, expressed as a percentage; AV is the adjusted value; and VOM is the value of originating materials used by the producer in the production of the good.

#### § 10.455 Value of materials.

- (a) Calculating the regional value content. For purposes of calculating the regional value content of a good under General Note 26(n), HTSUS, and for purposes of applying the de minimis (see §10.459) provisions of subdivision (e) of the note, the value of a material is:
- (1) In the case of a material imported by the producer of the good, the adjusted value of the material;
- (2) In the case of a material acquired in the territory where the good is produced, except for a material to which paragraph (a)(3) of this section applies, the producer's price actually paid or payable for the material;
- (3) In the case of a material provided to the producer without charge, or at a price reflecting a discount or similar reduction, the sum of—
- (i) All expenses incurred in the growth, production or manufacture of the material, including general expenses and
- (ii) A reasonable amount for profit; or
- (4) In the case of a material that is self-produced, the sum of—  $\,$
- (i) All expenses incurred in the production of the material, including general expenses, and
  - (ii) A reasonable amount for profit.
- (b) Adjustments to value. The value of materials may be adjusted as follows:
- (1) For originating materials, the following expenses, if not included under paragraph (a) of this section, may be added to the value of the originating material:
- (i) The costs of freight, insurance, packing and all other costs incurred in transporting the material within or between the territory of Chile, the United States, or both, to the location of the producer;

- (ii) Duties, taxes and customs brokerage fees on the material paid in the territory of Chile or of the United States, or both, other than duties and taxes that are waived, refunded, refundable or otherwise recoverable, including credit against duty or tax paid or payable; and
- (iii) The cost of waste and spoilage resulting from the use of the material in the production of the good, less the value of renewable scrap or by-product; and
- (2) For non-originating materials, if included under paragraph (a) of this section, the following expenses may be deducted from the value of the non-originating material:
- (i) The costs of freight, insurance, packing and all other costs incurred in transporting the material within or between the territory of Chile, the United States, or both, to the location of the producer;
- (ii) Duties, taxes and customs brokerage fees on the material paid in the territory of Chile or of the United States, or both, other than duties and taxes that are waived, refunded, refundable or otherwise recoverable, including credit against duty or tax paid or payable:
- (iii) The cost of waste and spoilage resulting from the use of the material in the production of the good, less the value of renewable scrap or by-products; and
- (iv) The cost of originating materials used in the production of the non-originating material in the territory of Chile or of the United States.
- (c) Accounting method. Any cost or value referenced in General Note 26(n), HTSUS and this subpart, must be recorded and maintained in accordance with the generally accepted accounting principles applicable in the territory of the country in which the good is produced (whether Chile or the United States).

# § 10.456 Accessories, spare parts or tools.

Accessories, spare parts or tools that form part of the good's standard accessories, spare parts or tools and are delivered with the good will be treated as a material used in the production of the good, if—